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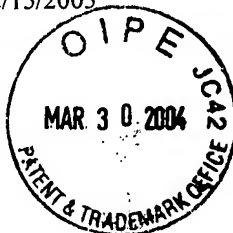


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In re Application of : Georg Domenic et al.  
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       Mechanism Having a Post Height  
       Adjustment Device and a Novel  
       Shelf Construction and Shelf  
       Retaining Element for Securing  
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Sir:

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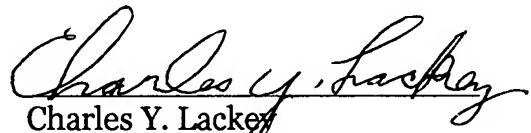
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I hereby certify that the enclosed Response to Notice of Incomplete Reply (Reissue) for US Pat. Appln. Ser. No. 10/735,569 (Georg Domenig et al.), copy of US Pat. No. 6,626,305 and a return mailing postcard are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and addressed to Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450



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